

## **Marlow Planning Board – February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2016**

### **Unapproved minutes of the meeting**

Present: Jim Strickland (Chairman), Carl MacConnell, Erin Handy, Lyle Handy Sr., Robert Allen

Absent: Barry Corriveau

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM; the minutes of January's meeting were read and approved unanimously.

### **Communications Directed to the Board:**

- None

### **Reports from Committees/Officials:**

- Mr. Strickland and Mr. MacConnell prepared our portion for the town reports and distributed it to the board members.
- Mr. Allen reported that our Warrant Article to reduce our board size from 7 to 5 has been approved for town meeting.

### **Unfinished Business:**

- Mike Deeb of Map 406 Lot 12.2 has been in contact with the selectmen and Mr. MacConnell. At this time the matter is continued.
- Mr. Allen reported what he and Jacqui found out about digitizing our tax maps. Cartographics wants to increase our yearly fee from \$900 per year to \$2400 per year and \$4600 to digitize. Another company explained that they would digitize for free and charge \$1900 per year afterwards. General discussion followed and Mr. MacConnell asked if we could be invited to any meetings with these companies in regards to new digitized tax maps.
- Budget meeting was held, we will be getting a budget of \$2000. There will also be a warrant article for \$819.00 for a membership to the Southwest Regional Planning Committee.
- Mr. Allen updated us on the Marlow Community Alliance and the recommendations for town meeting. General discussion followed.

### **New Business:**

- Jim Strickland notified us in writing that proceeding town meeting he will be resigning from his position as chairman and member of the Marlow Planning Board. We can't thank you enough for your years served. You are a valued member of our board and community. Thank you!

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 P.M. Our next official meeting will take place on **March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016**